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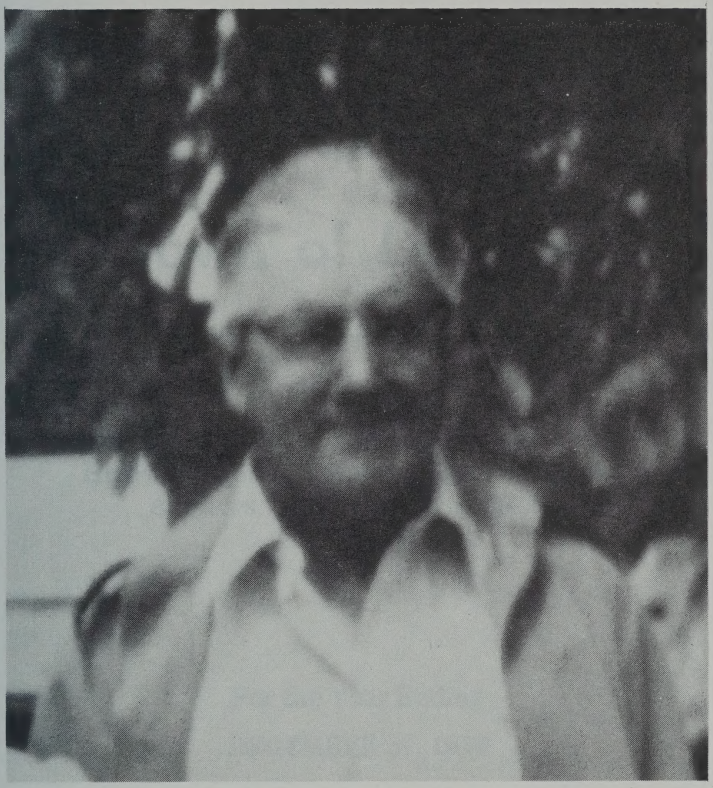
Loudon, New Hampshire

for the year ending December 31, 1978



This 1978 Town Report for the Town of Loudon, New Hampshire is dedicated to the Memory of Gerald B. Smith.

Born May 23, 1910 Died April 28, 1978

Selectman from March 1976 to April 28, 1978

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Town of Loudon

of the

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector,
Highway Agent, Librarian, Library Trustees,
Auditors, Trustees of Trust Funds

For the Year Ending
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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1978

MODERATOR

C. Marshall Beale	1980

SELECTMEN

Clayton J. Pease Sr.	1979
Arnold E. Storrs	1980
Virgil Johnston	1979
Gerald B. Smith — deceased 4-28-78	

TREASURER

Raymond C. Cummings	1979

TOWN CLERK

Mary E. Maxfield (Mrs. Edwin)	1979

TAX COLLECTOR

Mary E. Maxfield (Mrs. Wilbur)	1979

ROAD AGENT

Allan Barton

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Madelyn Greenwood	1981
Robert P. Ordway	1979

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

Frank Massino	1979
Roger Dow	1979
Melvin Mulkhey	1980

POLICE CHIEF

James O'Flynn — Appointed 11-4-78

ACTING POLICE CHIEF

David B. Greenwood — Resigned 11-3-78
under conditions of Superior Court decree

ASSISTING OFFICERS

John Bobula
James Edwards III
Melvin Gullage
Donald Stickney
Stephen Ainsworth
Gary Minery
Thomas Groleau

MUNICIPAL COURT

Stanley H. Prescott, Justice
Alma Lane, Clerk

TRUSTEES OF MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Isabelle Prescott	1979
Arlene Storrs	1980
Dorothy A. Mulkhey	1981

LIBRARIAN

Marguerite E. Buzzell

AUDITORS

Paula Miller	1979
Madelyn Greenwood	1979

SUPERVISORS

Beatrice Jenkins	1980
Isabelle Prescott	1982
Robin Robinson	1984

REPRESENTATIVES TO THE GENERAL COURT

John O. Cate	1979
Edwin L. Waters	1979

FIRE DEPARTMENT OFFICERS

Andrew G. Downes, Fire Chief (783-9890)
Robert Hibbard, Deputy Chief
Jeffrey Jenkins, Deputy Chief

WARDEN AND DEPUTY WARDENS

Andrew Downes, Warden	1980
Warren Jenkins, Deputy Warden	1980
Arthur Colby, Deputy Warden	1980
Roger Dow, Deputy Warden	1980
Robert Hibbard, Deputy Warden	1980
John Payne, Deputy Warden	1980
Melvin Mulkhey, Deputy Warden	1980
Jeffrey Jenkins, Deputy Warden	1980

PLANNING BOARDS

C. Marshall Beale, Chairman	1979
Robert Ordway	1980
Ron (Allen) King	1981
Edwin H. Maxfield	1981
Doris Berwick	1979
Francis Tewksbury	1979
Clayton Pease Sr. — Ex-Officio	1979

CENTRAL REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

Roger Maxfield	1979
C. Marshall Beale	1979

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

William Chesley

PLANNING BOARD VARIANCE COMMITTEE

Melvin Mulkhey — Robert Warner
Stanley Madison — Edward Rowse
Clayton Pease Sr., Ex-Officio

COMMUNITY BUILDING COMMITTEE

Mildred Edwards, Chairman
Charles Christy
Melvin Gullage
Warren Jenkins
Letty Barton
Clayton Pease Sr., Ex-Officio

TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

The Polls will be open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Loudon in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said State on Tuesday, the 13th day of March, next at 9 of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,500.00 for the purchase of protective clothing and alerting equipment for the Fire Department. (The above funds to come from Revenue Sharing).

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund, as set up in the 1963 Town Meeting.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000.00 for the Town Highway Capital Reserve Fund.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $16,000.00 for the purchase of a new dump truck.

7. By Request: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $973.04 for services to low income residents of Loudon through the Concord Area Center of the Community Action Program, Belknap-Merrimack Counties, Inc.

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund, established under the provision of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972, for use as set off against budgeted appropriations for the following priority purposes and in the amount indicated.

Grader Note	$ 5,800.00
Highway Garage Note	2,000.00
Fire Truck Note (final)	5,000.00
Fire Department for purchase of protective clothing and alerting equipment	1,500.00
	$14,300.00

9. To see if the Town will vote to allow 2% discount on all property taxes paid within thirty days after presentation of the tax bill.

10. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums of money not to exceed in aggregate more than 75% of the anticipated amount to be collected in taxes for the current municipal year and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town of Loudon, negotiable notes thereof, said notes to be paid in 1979 from taxes collected during the current municipal year.

11. By Request of the Planning Board. To see if the Town favors the Planning Board adopting the following subdivision regulation amendments.

1. Increasing the minimum lot size from one to two acres.
2. Increasing the minimum frontage requirement from 200' to 300'.
3. Limiting the number of approved lots in any new subdivision to not exceed five per year of the total in the subdivision.

To see if the Town will require the Selectmen to submit all new road dedicated to public use to the Town for acception or rejection at any Town Meeting.

12. By Petition: In order to protect the Health and Safety of the residents of Loudon and to maintain the values of its properties and the ecological balance of the Loudon area, the following Soil, Sand and Gravel removal conditions are put forth:

Permit: All commercial soil, sand and gravel removal operations after the effective date of this ordinance shall apply for a permit. Exception would be in the case of construction of a building on said property.

Permit fee shall be established by the Board of Permit and amounts collected set aside for road repairs and maintenance for Loudon Town roads to offset added wear and tear caused by heavy truck operations associated with Soil, Sand and Gravel pit operations.

Procedure: Application for permit shall include site plan showing boundaries of the whole property. Plan shall show existing and proposed ground elevations of the land proposed for excavation, describe removal areas,

the means of storm water drainage. The plan shall show sidelines adjoining properties both public and private. The Board shall not require such plan to be drawn by a registered surveyor or engineer.

Restoration and regrading plans shall be submitted showing final grades. Limits shall be placed as to how close mined area can be to adjoining dwellings, private and public properties and to public highways. Screening suitable to the Board shall be erected to screen operations and not to detract from the scenic beauty of the area.
A bond, the amount set by the Board shall be posted to insure restoration and screening of the property.

Remarks: Large scale soil, sand and gravel pit operations effect each resident of Loudon with impact on their property values, the added cost of road maintenance, their health and safety due to added noises and traffic conditions created by mining operations.

The Board of Permit shall weigh the effect of soil, sand and gravel removal before granting said permit. Exceptions shall be already existing operations prior to the date of the proposed Ordinance, they shall automatically be granted said permit but shall be governed by the Ordinance.

13. By Petition: To see if the Town will vote to protect farming by adopting the following Town Ordinance:

"No building, structure or other cover to be used for human habitation shall be located and erected on any field area of more than five (5) acres. "Field area" means land shown as cleared on the aerial photographs which have been taken for the Town by James W. Sewell prior to the effective date of this ordinance. Predominently brush covered land and land used in the growing of timber, as shown on said photographs, are not included;

but abutting fields are to be considered together if not subdivided on the effective date of this ordinance. This ordinance does not apply to existing buildings, structures or covers or future additions or alterations thereto located on such field areas; nor shall this ordinance apply to any such field area proven by a building permit applicant to have been unsuitable for the production of crops or livestock at the time the aforesaid aerial photographs were taken."

14. By Petition: To reopen the Bee Hole Road from Chichester Road (7/10 mile to Welch's home) and to be maintained as a Town right-of-way.

15. By Petition: To see if the Town will vote to close Lovejoy Road from the current point of gates and bars to the Canterbury Town Line. (Approximately 200 yards)

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,398.00 for the Central New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission.

17. By Request: Merrimack Valley Day Care Center Service to raise $40.00 for care of one child from Loudon.

18. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to withdraw funds from Land Sales Account as needed to meet unemployment compensation charges incurred during 1979. Or in the alternative, appropriate $1,000.00 to meet this expense.

19. By Request: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $10,000.00 per year for a period of Ten years in a Capital Reserve Fund to be applied against a Municipal Complex to house our Town officers, Fire Department and Recreation Facility.

20. By Request: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $900.00 for a summer outdoor recreation program to include moneys for a director on a part-time basis and needed equipment to support such programs. Monies to be added to existing Recreation appropriate.

21. By Request: To see if the Town will vote to continue the Municipal Community Building Committee for the ensuing year.

22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the transfer of proceeds from Bicentennial Funds and Fair Association funds to Trustee of the Trust Funds.

23. To see if the Town will authorize Selectmen and Treasurer to withdraw funds from Land Sales Account as needed to meet unexpected Welfare demands incurred during 1979.

24. To see if the Town will vote to pass the following Ordinance.

No person shall drink any alcoholic beverage or alcoholic liquor as defined in Chapter 175 of the New Hampshire Statutes Annotated, upon any public highway, street, road, alley, park, or any private way laid out under authority of statute, and places provided and maintained by public institutions to which state or town funds are appropriated for public use, or any public or private parking lot which is maintained primarily for the benefit of paying customers, within the limits of Loudon, provided however that a majority of the Board of Selectmen may grant specific and limited permission of any person for the use of said alcoholic beverages in connection with any gathering or function in exception to this ordinance, subject to such conditions as the said Board may deem desirable. This offense shall constitute a violation as defined in RSA 651:2.

25. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Clayton Pease Sr.
Arnold Storrs
Virgil Johnston
Selectmen of Loudon

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

Clayton Pease Sr.
Arnold Storrs
Virgil Johnston
Selectmen of Loudon

Estimated Revenues and Expenditures of the

Compared

Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue 1978	Actual Revenue 1978	Estimated Revenue 1979
From Local Taxes:			
Resident Taxes	$ 12,000.00	$ 13,415.00	$ 14,000.00
Yield Taxes	6,000.00	8,542.62	10,000.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	8,000.00	9,933.42	10,000.00
Resident Tax Penalties		280.00	300.00
Inventory Penalties			500.00
From State:			
Meals and Rooms Tax	15,000.00	15,444.19	16,000.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	2,900.00	9,434.32	10,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	1,800.00	2,038.19	2,100.00
Highway Subsidy	19,524.99	30,412.98	33,000.00
Town Road Aid	12,000.00	1,280.78	15,830.13
Class V Highway Maintenance	10,903.11	10,856.91	11,000.00
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land		50.94	55.00
Reimb. a/c Fighting Forest Fires		1,275.99	1,000.00
Reimb. a/c Road Toll Refund	750.00	1,090.29	1,200.00
Reimb. a/c Old Age Assistance	8,950.26		
Reimb. a/c Business Profit Tax	12,000.00	12,886.12	14,000.00
From Local Sources, Except Taxes			
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	50,000.00	55,487.00	58,000.00
Dog Licenses	1,000.00	2,079.55	2,100.00
Business Licensed, Permits & Filing Fees	1,500.00	1,780.40	1,850.00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal & District Court	7,000.00	4,350.00	6,500.00
Kennel License		48.00	50.00
Interest Rec'd on Deposits & Taxes	8,000.00	10,082.67	10,300.00
Income From Departments	27,862.87	21,801.28	46,895.00
Bad Check charges		40.00	50.00
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:			
Withdrawal From Capital Reserve		16,000.00	
Revenue Sharing Fund	29,900.00	26,900.00	14,333.00
Total Revenues and Credits	$235,091.23	$255,510.65	$279,063.13

Ensuing Year January 1, 1979 to December 31, 1979

with

of the Previous Year January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978

PURPOSE OF APPROPRIATION	Appropriations 1978	Actual Expenditures 1978	Appropriations Ensuing 1979
General Government:			
Town officers' salaries	$ 7,700.00	$ 10,023.30	$ 10,400.00
Town officers' expenses	15,000.00	11,424.87	16,376.00
Election and Registration expenses	1,800.00	1,217.01	1,000.00
Municipal and District court expenses	1,500.00	596.46	1,000.00
Expenses town hall and other bldgs.	4,000.00	2,779.50	3,300.00
Legal expenses — Shaker Brook		3,013.74	
Garage addition			3,500.00
Shed — Dump			2,500.00
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Department	35,000.00	45,567.54	45,960.00
Fire dept., inc. forest fires	9,000.00	12,055.84	12,500.00
Blister rust and care of trees	150.00	50.00	
Planning and Zoning	600.00	702.93	750.00
Insurance	12,000.00	13,392.21	15,000.00
Police Dept., — Crime Comm.			22,895.00
Health Department:			
Health Dept. — Hospital — Art. #3	309.00	309.00	
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	15,000.00	15,278.10	10,000.00
Sewer Maintenance			500.00
Highways & Bridges:			
Town road aid	10,292.80	2,623.32	15,830.13
Town Maintenance	55,500.00	40,572.40	46,000.00
Street Lighting	1,800.00	1,758.40	1,850.00
General expenses of highway dept.	36,000.00	46,985.59	52,000.00
Road Paving — Rev. Sharing	7,000.00	4,000.00	15,000.00
Bridges		8,350.00	
Uniforms		106.12	
Libraries:			
Library	2,500.00	2,828.60	3,065.00
Public Welfare:			
Town poor	2,000.00	710.14	2,000.00
Old age assistance	2,500.00	3,029.98	4,500.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day — Old home day	150.00	150.00	150.00
Recreation:			
Parks & Playground, inc. band concerts	450.00	250.00	450.00
Other Expenditures			
County Tax		50,994.00	
MVSD payments		456,084.86	

Public Services Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	700.00	817.50	700.00
Unclassified:			
Damages and Legal expenses	2,000.00	5,516.60	2,000.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	1,500.00	1,237.00	
Employees' retirement & Social S.	5,000.00	5,678.42	6,350.00
Contingency Fund	1,500.00		1,500.00
Payment to State			
Dog license fee		126.50	150.00
Bond & Debt Ret. Tax		796.87	1,200.00
Employees Benefit — B/C-B/S			1,550.00
Employees Withholding		(56.15)	
Debt Service:			
Principal-long term notes & bonds	12,833.33	10,833.33	12,833.33
Interest-long term notes & bonds	4,500.00	1,325.00	1,500.00
Interest on temporary loans	2,000.00	4,620.69	4,800.00
Temporary Loans		300,000.00	
Capital Outlay:			
Canterbury & Concord Taxes	300.00	108.96	150.00
Tax Map	2,000.00		4,500.00
Add & Repairs — Fire Station — Art. #16	13,000.00	12,510.92	
Payment to Capital Reserve Fund:			
Fire Department — Article #4	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Highway Department — Article #5	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Payment to Capital Res. Fund & Rev. Sharing			
Fire Department — Rev. Sharing	1,500.00	1,425.00	
Highway Truck	24,000.00	25,000.00	
Taxes Bought By Town		53,687.29	
Refunds		2,650.40	
Total Appropriations	$299,185.13	$1,169,132.24	$323,859.46

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY VALUATION

Land		$ 3,103,101
Buildings		7,143,331
Public Utilities:		
Gas		77,738
Electric		220,022
Mature Wood & Timber (RSA:79.5)		59,112
Trailers & Mobile Homes (110)		493,437
Vehicles (Fork Lifts)		8,800
Boats & Launches (7)		8,345
Total Before Exemptions		$11,113,886
Blind Exemptions (3)	$15,000	
Elderly Exemption	68,325	
Total Exemptions		183,325
		$10,930,561

TAX RATE 1978

Municipal	.65 per $100.00
County	.46 per $100.00
School	4.48 per $100.00
Combined Rate	$5.59 per $100.00

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

1978

1978 began with the purchase of a new C-65 Chevrolet dump truck for the Highway Department.

We were stunned and deeply saddened by the sudden passing of our fellow Selectman Gerald B. Smith. He was a loved and deeply respected member of the community and shall be sorely missed. The 1978 Town Report is dedicated in his honor.

The unanimous termination of our then Acting Police Chief was probably the most controversial decision made during this year. However, it was felt at the time to be a necessity for the future benefit of the Town and it remains unanimous that this action was warranted and fully justified.

We want to extend a special thanks to Mel Gullage who took over the town Police Department during the time of turmoil, laboring under very difficult circumstances.

Virgil Johnston was appointed as junior selectman on May 9, 1978, filling the appointment left by the passing of Gerald B. Smith. On June 8, 1978, Roger Dow was appointed trustee of the Trust fund, replacing Dennis Chesley, who resigned for personal reasons. Mrs. Doris Berwick and Francis Tewksbury were appointed to the Planning Board, replacing Jerry Santas, who resigned for personal reasons, and Robert Upton, who relocated in Canterbury.

Insurance covering the town, its Police Department and its officers was purchased and secures us now against civil rights suits up to five hundred thousand dollars.

The Shaker Brook Development Road project was settled in court with the Town receiving approximately $20,000.00 for completion of the Road and bringing it up to Town standards.

A permanent Police, Chief James O'Flynn, was appointed effective November 4, 1978, and has brought with him the professional services believed to be needed with the day to day growth of our town. Its expansion both in experience and professionalism will make our Police Department one of the best in the state and will provide a foundation of assured law and order in our town for years to come. We can only hope that those townspeople who appreciate a good living society under the protection of a well organized, efficient law enforcement department, will support its efforts.

Barbara Bohannon, who has been working as secretary to the selectmen for the past year or so has been assigned full time administrative Assistant (40 hour week). By taking this step, along with the coming relocation of the Selectmen's office, we feel that we can provide full time service to our townspeople, making information and problem solving readily accessible, while at the same time placing them in a comfortable atmosphere. The office area in the town garage is now being remodeled to accommodate this move.

The sanitary landfill is now in full operation, and while we realize it to be slightly more inconvenient for dumping operations, we can also appreciate the fact that we are abiding by the laws of our state and federal government. Since the operation of this landfill, not one rodent has been spotted to our knowledge in its confines.

It has been a long struggling year but we are happy in knowing that our Town is in good shape financially. Regardless of unforseen or unpredicted expenses, and we had many, we have been as austere as possible and it is

believed to have paid off. We want to thank all of our fellow town officers whose support was offered and readily accepted, also, our heartfelt thanks to the ladies of the Fire Department Auxiliary who gave their time and effort into making our election days comfortable by serving such tasty and wonderful meals. Most of all, we say thanks to our townspeople who understand the problems of todays Town Government and have had patience and understanding toward our efforts. Thank you for your support in 1978.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

As of December 31, 1978

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$ 16,000
Furniture and Equipment	5,000
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	30,000
Furniture and Equipment	6,000
Police Equipment	12,000
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	40,000
Equipment	108,000
Highway Dept., Lands and Buildings	40,000
Equipment	105,000
Materials and Supplies	7,000
Flagg Lot 20A	12,000
Lafond Lot 16A	10,000
Maxfield Lot 200A	70,000
Total	$461,000

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS & EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1978

Title of Appropriation	Approp. 1978	Receipts	Total Amt. Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts
General Government:						
Town Officers Salaries	7,700.00		7,700.00	10,023.30		2,323.30
Town Officers Expenses	15,000.00	17.50	15,017.50	11,424.87	3,592.63	
Election & Registration Expenses	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,217.01	582.99	
Municipal & Court Expenses	1,500.00		1,500.00	596.46	903.54	
Town Hall & Other Buildings	4,000.00		4,000.00	2,779.50	1,220.50	
Employee's Retirement & Social Security	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,678.42		678.42
Contingency Fund	1,500.00		1,500.00		1,500.00	
Employees Withholding				(56.15)	56.15	
Protection of Persons & Property:						
Police Department	35,000.00	5,366.50	40,366.50	45,567.54		5,201.04
Fire Department	9,000.00		9,000.00	12,055.84		3,055.84
Care of Trees	150.00		150.00	50.00	100.00	
Insurance	12,000.00		12,000.00	13,392.21		1,392.21
Planning & Zoning	600.00		600.00	702.93		102.93
Damages & Legal Expenses	2,000.00		2,000.00	5,516.60		3,516.60
Conservation Commission						
Legal Expense — Shaker Brook		23,000.00	23,000.00	3,013.74	19,986.26	
Fire Department New Building	13,000.00		13,000.00	12,510.92	489.08	
Health Department:						
Vital Statistics	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Hospitals	309.00		309.00	309.00		
Town Dump	15,000.00	255.00	15,255.00	15,278.10		23.10
Highways & Bridges:						
Town Highway Maintenance						
Summer	20,000.00		20,000.00	19,826.65	173.35	
Winter	35,500.00		35,500.00	20,745.75	14,754.25	
Town Road Aid	10,292.80		10,292.80	2,623.32	7,669.48	
Street Lights	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,758.40	41.60	
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	36,000.00	2,162.28	38,162.28	46,985.59		8,823.31
Road Paving	7,000.00	(3,000.00)	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Bridge Repair		8,350.00	8,350.00	8,350.00		

Library	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,828.60		328.60
Public Welfare:						
Town Poor	2,000.00		2,000.00	710.14	1,289.86	
OAA	2,500.00		2,500.00	3,029.98		529.98
Patriotic Purposes	150.00		150.00	150.00		
Recreation	450.00		450.00	250.00	200.00	
Public Service Enterprises:						
Cemeteries	700.00		700.00	817.50		117.50
Advertising & Regional Assoc.	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,237.00	263.00	
Capital Outlay:						
Canterbury & Concord Taxes	300.00		300.00	108.96	191.04	
Land, Bldg. & New Equip. & Rev.	24,000.00		24,000.00	25,000.00		1,000.00
Debt Service:						
Principal & Long Term Notes	12,833.33		12,833.33	10,833.33	2,000.00	
Interest, Long Term Notes	4,500.00		4,500.00	1,325.00	3,175.00	
Interest on Temporary Loans	2,000.00		2,000.00	4,620.69		2,620.69
Temporary Loans	300,000.00		300,000.00	300,000.00		
Capital Reserve	8,000.00		8,000.00	8,000.00		
Miscellaneous Expenses						
Taxes Bought by Town	53,687.24		53,687.24	53,687.29		
Refunds				2,650.40		2,650.40
Uniforms				106.12		106.12
Payments to State:						
Dog License Fees				126.50		126.50
Bond & Debt Taxes				796.87		796.87
Revenue Sharing:						
Fire Dept.	1,425.00		1,425.00	1,425.00		
County Taxes	50,994.00		50,994.00	50,994.00		
Merrimack Valley School District			(456,084.86)	(456,084.86)		
Total Expenditures	701,791.37	36,151.28	737,942.65	1,169,132.24	58,288.73	33,393.41
					33,393.41	
Net Unexpended Balance					24,895.32	

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash:		
In hands of treasurer	$ 44,632.49	
In hands of officials (Court)	Not Audited	
Total		$ 44,632.49
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Highway Dept.	6,904.07	
Fire Dept.	6,618.55	
Conservation	687.65	
Total		14,210.27
TRA Funds with State Treasurer		15,830.13
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1977	42,610.88	
Levy of 1976	13,924.03	
Levy of 1975	240.78	
Previous Years	163.65	
Total		56,939.34
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1978, Including Resident Taxes	452,392.30	
Levy of 1977	3,521.46	
Total		455,913.76
		$587,525.99

Current Surplus Dec. 31, 1977	122,502.25
Current Surplus Dec. 31, 1978	32,298.04
Decrease of Surplus — Change in Financial Condition	90,204.21

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Balance — Road Bond	$ 19,986.26	
Balance Road Bond Deposits	5,000.00	
Bond & Debt Retirement Tax	1,225.34	
Yield Tax Deposits (Escrow Acc't)	8,975.95	
Sch. District(s) Tax(es) Payable	440,000.00	
Bank of N. H. Short Term Notes	50,000.00	
Total Accounts Owed by the Town		525,187.55
Capital Reserve Funds		14,210.27
Highway Funds (TRA)		15,830.13
Total Liabilities		555,227.95
Current Surplus		32,298.04
Grand Total		587,525.99

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

1979

Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
Grader Note	$11,666.68	
Highway Garage Note	14,000.00	
Fire Truck Note	5,000.00	
Total Long Term Notes Outstanding		$30,666.68
Total Long Term Indebtedness		$30,666.68

RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

Outstanding Long Term Debt		$43,500.01
Long Term Notes Issued	.....	
Total		43,500.01
Long Term Notes Paid	12,833.33	
Total		12,833.33
Outstanding Long Term Debt		30,666.68

STATEMENT OF LONG-TERM NOTES

December 31, 1978

Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding Long-Term Notes

Maturities	Grader 1975 Original Amt. $35,000.00	Hwy. Garage 1975 Original Amt. $20,000.00	Fire Truck 1976 Original Amt. $15,000.00	Total Annual Maturities
1979	5,833.33	2,000.00	5,000.00	12,833.33
1980	5,833.35	2,000.00		7,833.35
1981		2,000.00		2,000.00
1982		2,000.00		2,000.00
1983		2,000.00		2,000.00
1984		2,000.00		2,000.00
1985		2,000.00		2,000.00
Totals	$11,666.68	$14,000.00	$ 5,000.00	$30,666.68

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

AUTO PERMITS:		
1978	$55,487.00	
		$55,487.00
DOG LICENSES:		
1977	2.20	
		2.20
DOG LICENSES:		
1978	1,911.35	
Late Penalties	166.00	
		2,077.35
KENNEL LICENSES:		
1978	145.00	
		145.00
FILING FEE ELECTIONS:		
	19.00	
		19.00
BEANO LICENSES:		
	125.00	
		125.00
REMITTANCES		$57,855.55
Total Remittances to Town Treasurer:		$57,855.55

Mary E. Maxfield
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Summary of Warrants

Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1978

Debits

Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	$599,418.83	
Resident Taxes	13,020.00	
Total Warrants		$612,438.83
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	3,903.55	
Resident Taxes	1,180.00	
		5,083.55
Penalties Col. on Resident Taxes		61.00
Total Debits		$617,583.38

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$149,009.77	
Resident Taxes	11,245.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	61.00	
		$160,315.77

Discounts Allowed		2,905.85
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	1,964.46	
Resident Taxes	5.00	
		1,969.46
Uncollected Taxes — Dec. 31, 1978:		
(As Per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	$449,442.30	
Resident Taxes	2,950.00	
		452,392.30
Total Credits		$617,583.38

Summary of Warrants

Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1977

Debits

Uncollected Taxes — As of Jan. 1, 1978:		
Property Taxes	$349,669.28	
Resident Taxes	3,020.00	
Yield Taxes	3,597.06	
		$356,286.34
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	50.00	
Resident Taxes	710.00	
Yield Taxes	3,327.81	
		4,087.81

Overpayments:		
a/c Property Taxes	4.51	
		4.51
Interest Col. on Delinquent Property Taxes		5,825.63
Penalties Col. on Resident Taxes		218.00
Total Debits		$366,422.29

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year Ended 12-31-78:		
Property Taxes	$338,571.52	
Resident Taxes	2,160.00	
Yield Taxes	4,973.41	
Int. Collected During Year	5,825.63	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	218.00	
		$352,248.56
Discount allowed		3,675.88
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	7,476.39	
		6,976.39
Uncollected Taxes — Dec. 31, 1978:		
(As Per Collector's List)		
Resident Taxes	1,570.00	
Yield Taxes	1,951.46	
		3,521.46
Total Credits		$366,422.29

Summary of Warrants

Property, Resident and Yield Taxes

Levy of 1976

Debits

Uncollected Taxes — As of Jan. 1, 1978:		
Property Taxes	$34,177.94	
Resident Taxes	210.00	
Yield Taxes	4,331.24	
		$38,719.18
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	45.00	
		45.00
Overpayments:		
a/c Yield Taxes	.20	
		.20
Int. Col. on Delinquent Property Taxes		1,903.84
Penalties Col. on Resident Taxes		1.00
Total Debits		$40,669.22

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Yr. Ended Dec. 31, 1978:	
Property Taxes	$19,665.42
Resident Taxes	10.00

Yield Taxes	3,569.21	
Interest Col. During Year	1,903.84	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	1.00	
		25,149.47
Abatements Made During Year:		
Deeded	55.95	
Property Taxes	577.54	
Resident Taxes	200.00	
Yield Taxes	762.23	
		1,595.72
Uncollected Taxes — Dec. 31, 1978:		
(As Per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	$13,924.03	
		13,924.03
Total Credits		$40,669.22

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1978

Debits

	Tax Sales on Account of Levies of:			
	1977	1976	1975	Previous Years
(a) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes — January 1, 1978 $	.....	$34,177.94	$9,218.40	$1,373.10
Transferred pmt. to 1975		45.00		
(b) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	53,687.29			
Interest Collected After Sale	187.69	1,809.34	1,778.35	210.53
Redemption Costs	59.85	94.50	18.00	15.40
Total Debits	$53,934.83	$36,126.78	$11,014.75	$1,599.03

Credits

Remittances to Treasurer During Year:				
Redemptions	$10,915.19	$19,665.42	$ 8,922.75	$ 1,124.29
Interest & Costs After Sale	247.54	1,903.84	1,751.35	225.93
Transferred from 1976 acct.			45.00	
Abatements During Year	102.52	577.54		50.30
Deeded to Town During Yr.	58.70	55.95	54.87	34.86
Unredeemed Taxes — December 31, 1978	42,610.88	13,924.03	240.78	163.65
Total Credits	$53,934.83	$36,126.78	$11,014.75	$1,599.03

(a) "Balance of Unredeemed Taxes — January 1, 1978:"
Should include balances of Unredeemed Taxes, as of beginning of fiscal year — January 1, 1978 from Tax Sales of **Previous** Years.

(b) "Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year:"
Tax Sales held during fiscal year ending December 31, 1978, should include total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale.

NOTE: TOTAL DEBITS AND TOTAL CREDITS should agree.

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

UNPAID 1974

Robert and Marie Baker	$ 73.17
David & Barbara Follansbee	27.99
Paul Preston	62.49
	$ 163.65

UNPAID 1975

Glendon Rafferty	$ 129.92
Edward Raymond	39.94
Robert & Marie Baker	70.92
	$ 240.78

UNPAID 1976

Harry Arakelian	$ 310.20
Carl Austin	510.33
Robert Baker	73.38
Clifton Buttrick	810.23
Winfield Call III	310.84
Donald Caswell	133.80
Anna Concannon	92.90
Howard Foster	66.95
Brian Jaworski	4,244.49
Richard Kendall	372.99
Charles Green	377.45
Frank Kunst	702.20
Lazy Pines Trailer Park	
David Follansbee	183.08
Ronald Monez	372.35
Lucien Oulette	218.12
Moore Building & Supply	1,643.52
James Muzzey	149.81
Gary Nelder	315.85
Gary Nelder	72.90

Gary Nelder	524.90
Loren Puffer	287.60
Glendon Rafferty	502.30
Edward Raymond	474.05
John Sheran	718.49
Scotch Pines	
Louise Dublois	217.86
Edgar Seeley	237.44
	$13,924.03

UNPAID 1977
Dec. 31, 1978

Beatrice Annis Estate	$ 584.44
Dennis Ashland	682.10
Carl Austin	608.22
Alexander Averbach	150.24
Elizabeth Barton	906.98
Kathleen Bergeron	64.64
John Bissland	217.80
Howard Brower	344.66
Bryar Motorsport Park	6,438.21
Rose Bryar	127.79
Clifton Buttrick	877.83
Winfield Call III	327.52
Donald Caswell	648.44
Reginald Champagne	401.40
Brian Jaworski	1,128.18
William Crowley	856.97
Norman Davis	586.09
John Dowes	416.49
Charles Green	392.32
Donald & Fay Green	64.64
Douglas Greenwood	336.65
Terry Hammond	650.82
Edna Hayward	846.97
Gerita Sanchez	71.33

James Holub	161.35
Brian Jaworski	4,475.21
Lyman Kenison	639.42
Richard Kendall	422.84
Frank Kunst	743.40
Daniel Ladd	747.20
Levi Ladd	2,144.04
Levi Ladd	90.65
Lazy Pines Trailer Park	
Laurel Burke	241.91
David Follansbee	192.77
Lyford Merrow	813.41
106 Midway Raceway	148.75
Dorothy Miller	406.04
Michael Mobbs	89.99
Moore Building & Supply	1,613.52
Lauris Moore Jr.	732.11
Joseph Moynihan	13.52
James Muzzey	160.97
Gary Nelder	76.59
Gary Nelder	550.09
Gary Nelder	329.61
Gertrude O'Mara	351.61
Velma Partridge	720.68
Gordon Payne	493.58
Eugene Paquin	749.77
Joseph Pelchat	70.99
Wilbert Pierce	213.63
Raymond Pomaski	149.17
Loren Puffer	1,041.26
Glendon Rafferty	529.36
Edward Raymond	499.52
Robert Sanders	400.95
Scotch Pines	
Louise Dublois & Kenneth Blodgett	273.17
Agnes Seeley	73.17
William Hawley	199.72
Paul Preston	273.17

Edgar Seeley	350.60
Edgar Seeley	350.60
John Sheran	757.19
Wilson Smith	740.96
Peter Thilbault	202.77
Mark Reid	369.63
Paul Trefethen	284.55
John Vacca	929.14
Robert Landry	61.57
	$42,610.88

TREASURER'S REPORT
1978

Bal. on Hand, 1-1-78		137,666.29
Property Taxes 1978	149,009.77	
Resident Taxes 1978	11,245.00	
Yield Taxes 1978	8,542.62	
Yield Taxes Interest	129.45	
Resident Tax Penalties 1978	61.00	
Property Taxes 1977	335,627.22	
Resident Taxes 1977	2,170.00	
Resident Tax Penalties 1977	219.00	
Property Tax Interest	9,933.42	
Property Taxes Redeemed	39,896.16	
State of N. H.	83,680.42	
Road Bond Deposits	5,000.00	
Kennel Licenses	48.00	
Dog Licenses	2,079.55	
Business Licenses, Permits, Filing Fees	1,780.40	
Municipal Court Fines, Forfeits	4,350.00	
Income from Departments:		
Selectmen	7.00	
Police	19,366.50	
Highway	2,162.28	
Dump	255.00	
Miscellaneous	10.50	
		21,801.28
Motor Vehicle Registrations	55,487.00	
Bad check charges	40.00	
Temporary Loans	250,000.00	
Insurance Recoveries	8,438.00	

Gas Tax Refunds	1,090.29	
Bond Recovery	23,000.00	
Capital Reserve Withdrawal	16,000.00	
Revenue Sharing	26,900.00	
		1,056,528.58
Total Balance Forward & Revenue		1,194,194.87
Less Total Expenses		1,169,132.24
Cash on Hand 12-31-78		25,062.63
Plus Outstanding Checks Voided		2,659.14
		27,721.77
Yield Tax Account		
Cash on Hand 1-1-78	5,627.08	
Advances Received	7,637.10	
		13,264.18
Interest Income		413.03
		13,677.21
Less Withdrawals		4,701.26
Cash on Hand 12-31-78		8,975.95
Revenue Sharing Account		
Cash on hand 1-1-78	8,835.60	
Rec'd from Federal Gov.	17,334.00	
Interest Received	749.32	
		26,918.92

Less Withdrawals		
Grader Note	5,800.00	
Highway Garage Note	2,000.00	
Fire Truck Note	5,000.00	
Portable Radio — Fire Dept.	1,500.00	
Highway Truck	8,000.00	
Police Dept.	600.00	
Sealing Road	4,000.00	
		26,900.00
Cash on hand 12-31-78		18.92

Land Sale Account	
Cash on hand 1-1-78	16,067.79
Interest Received	842.93
Cash on hand 12-31-78	16,910.72

TOWN SALARIES

		Salary
Clayton Pease Sr. — Selectman		$ 610.00
Arnold Storrs — Selectman		1,400.00
Virgil Johnston — Selectman		916.68
Gerald Smith, Selectman		383.32
Raymond C. Cummings — Treasurer		1,064.00
Mary E. Maxfield (Mrs. Edwin) Town Clerk	Fees — $2,865.75	650.00
Mary E. Maxfield (Mrs. Wilbur) Tax Collector	Fees — $862.05	900.00
Frank Massino — Trustee of T. F.		75.00
Melvin Mulkhey — Trustee of T. F.		75.00
Roger Dow — Trustee of T. F.		75.00
Madelyn Greenwood — Auditor		50.00
Paula Miller — Auditor		50.00
Betty Ashland		363.68
Allan Barton, Road Agent		13,374.80
John Bobula		368.00
Barbara Bohannon		6,102.00
Marguerite Buzzell		2,765.80
Albert Edelstein		692.26
James Edwards III		1,425.00
Fletcher Fredette		11,958.54
David Greenwood		10,483.88
Thomas Groleau		2,287.50
Melvin Gullage		4,600.52
Kevin Gullage		3,654.12
Lucien DeForest Hodgman		1,542.56
Wilson Hoover		1,423.75

Alma Lane	300.00
James O'Flynn	1,846.18
Paul Lampron	2,078.00
Dennis Moore	5,843.10
Gary Minery	883.00
Stanley Prescott	480.00
Herbert Riley	1,314.98
Theodore Russell	3,363.70
Donald Stickney	2,460.25
Willard Stinson Jr.	578.50

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1978

Receipts

Current Revenue:		
From Local Taxes:		
Property Taxes	$149,009.77	
Resident Taxes	11,245.00	
Yield Taxes	8,542.62	
Total		$168,797.39
Property Taxes and Yield Taxes — Previous Years		335,627.22
Resident Taxes — Previous Years		2,170.00
Interest rec'd on Delinquent Taxes		9,933.42
Penalties: Resident Taxes $61.00		280.00
Tax sales redeemed		39,896.16
From State:		
For Town Road Aid		1,280.78
For Class V Hwy. maint.		10,856.91
Highway Subsidy		30,412.98
Interest and dividends tax		9,434.32
Savings Bank Tax		2,038.19
Reimb. a-c State & Federal forest lands		50.94
Fighting forest fires		1,275.99
Reimb. a-c M. V. Road Toll		1,090.29
Meals and Rooms Tax		15,444.19
Reimb. a-c Business Profits Tax		12,886.12
From Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses		2,079.55
Business licenses, permits and filing fees		1,780.40
Fines and forfeits, municipal & District Court		4,350.00
Kennel License		48.00
Interest rec'd on deposits, Timber Tax		129.45
Income from departments		21,801.28
Motor vehicle permits		55,487.00
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$727,150.58
Receipts Other than Current Revenue:		
Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	$250,000.00	
Insurance adjustments	8,438.00	
Bond Recovery	23,000.00	

Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	16,000.00	
Road Bond Deposits	5,000.00	
Revenue Sharing	26,900.00	
Bad check charges	40.00	
		329,378.00
Outstanding checks voided		2,659.14
Total Receipts from All Sources		$1,059,187.72
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1978		137,666.29
Grand Total		$1,196,854.01

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

For the Year Ended December 31, 1978

Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	$ 10,023.30	
Town officers' expenses	11,424.87	
Election & registration expenses	1,217.01	
Municipal & District Court exp.	596.46	
Expenses town hall & other town buildings	2,779.50	
		$ 26,041.14
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department	45,567.54	
Fire dept., including forest fires	12,055.84	
Moth extermination — Blister Rust & Care of Trees	50.00	
Planning and Zoning	702.93	
Insurance	13,392.21	
Special Legal Expenses — Shakerbrook Dev.	3,013.74	
Fire Dept. — New Building	12,510.92	
		87,293.18
Health:		
Health dept., hospital	309.00	
Town dumps & garbage removal	15,278.10	
		15,587.10

Highways and Bridges:		
Town Road Aid	2,623.32	
Town Maint. Summer & Winter	40,572.40	
Street lighting	1,758.00	
General Expenses of Hwy. Dept.	46,985.59	
Road Paving	4,000.00	
		95,939.31
Libraries:		
Libraries	2,828.60	
		2,828.60
Public Welfare:		
Old age assistance	3,029.98	
Town poor	710.14	
		3,740.12
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day, Vet. Associations and Old Home Day	150.00	
		150.00
Recreation:		
Parks & playgrounds	250.00	
		250.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries, incl. hearse hire	817.50	
		817.50
Unclassified:		
Damages & legal expenses	5,516.60	
Advertising & Regional Assoc.	1,237.00	
Taxes bought by town	53,687.29	
Discounts, Abatements and refunds	2,650.40	
Employees' Retirement & S. S.	5,678.42	
Withholding Tax	(56.15)	
Uniforms	106.12	
Total Current Maint. Exp.		68,819.68
Debt Service:		
Interest on Debt:		
Paid on tax anticipation notes	4,620.69	
Paid on long term notes	1,325.00	
Total Interest Payments		5,945.69

Principal of Debt:		
Pay't on Tax Anticipation Notes	300,000.00	
Pay't on long term notes	10,833.33	
Total Principal Payments		310,833.33
Capital Outlay:		
Highways and Bridges	8,350.00	
New equipment	26,425.00	
Pay't to capital reserve funds	8,000.00	
Total Outlay Payments		42,775.00
Pay't to Other Govt. Divisions:		
Paid State Treas. — Dog license	126.50	
Pay't to State a-c 2% Bond and Debt Retirement Taxes	796.87	
Taxes paid to County	50,994.00	
Pay't to Concord & Canterbury taxes	108.96	
Pay't to School Districts	456,084.86	
Total Pay't to Other Govt. Divisions		508,111.19
Total Payments for all Purposes		1,169,132.24
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1978		27,721.77
Grand Total		$1,196,854.01

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

Another year has passed and the Highway Department has seen a number of changes. In some ways it hasn't been an easy year for the Department.

We have a new plow and front mounted wing on our newest truck, and it seems to be working out quite well so far. Our two older trucks and the grader continue to give us some problems.

Due to the demand for quicker and increased services, and the age of one of our trucks, we should consider a new truck for the Highway Department this coming year. If we purchase a new truck this year, it should be one that is large enough and durable.

Last year we did some work on Piper Hill Road and replaced three culverts on Ricker Road. We laid our 300 yards of cold patch and the roads could use more. Our major summer project was replacing culverts, shimming, and sealing the Ridge Road, approximately five miles. This year and every year we should seal at least five miles.

Three things of great importance to better our roads are as follows:

1. Oil to seal our paved roads
2. Screened sand; to mix cold patch, back sand and winter sand.
3. Crushed bank run gravel to improve the surface of dirt roads.

I wish to thank my employees and the townspeople for their cooperation for the past year.

Allan Barton
Road Agent

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

February 19, 1979

1978-79 again brought new changes to the Loudon Police Department, together with a need to introduce new faces to the community. The Department as presently mandated by the residents through their elected representatives (the Board of Selectmen) has the benefit of the services of a Chief of Police with sufficient expertise in the management of a professional agency to match the service needs of the Loudon community. In addition the core of the Department consists of trained and certified regular officers with several years of experience after graduation from the New Hampshire Police Academy. Around this core is built a complement of dedicated and closely supervised special officers in a part time capacity, five of whom are enrolled in a state sponsored law enforcement training program.

The structure of the Department was designed to match as closely as possible the known and projected needs of the Town for police service. A subgrant awarded to Loudon by the Governors Commission on Crime and Delinquency has been in a large measure responsible for the accomplishment of this goal. Under this program, two full time officers are funded for one year including their salaries, uniforms and benefits at a total cost of $1,205 to the Town which is 5% of the total subgrant award. Further increase in services was achieved by the installation of the 228-1631 telephone line at the Police Station which now enables Loudon Police personnel to answer calls for service directly, with improved quality of response in less time.

Loudon is one of several towns in Merrimack county experiencing a substantial increase in its growth rate. One evidence attesting to the substantially enlarged growth rate is the fact of 31 building permits granted

in 1977. The issuance of more than 90 building permits in 1978 translates to an estimated 190% increase in growth rate over the previous year, with an attendant drain on the Towns service facilities. The evidenced need for increased public services together with a demonstrated desire for locally controlled yet professionally responsive police department requires an adequate administrative base. Such a base is now a reality and the Department is able to satisfy the needs of accountability, court presentation and investigation through the utilization of the Uniform Crime Report System now in use by the majority of law enforcement agencies.

The presently structured Department has only been in operation for four months, but the available statistics even of such a short time indicate the increased needs for Department services.

	1975 12 months	1977-78 7 months	1978-79 3 months
Criminal Complaints Investigated	56	17	67
Criminal Offense Arrests	7	6	24
Juvenile Complaints Investigated	No Report	No Report	48
Animal Complaints Investigated	No Report	No Report	69
Medical Emergency Responses	No Report	No Report	13
Accidents Investigated	31	12	37
Motor Vehicle Arrests	119	74	14
Miscellaneous Calls for Service	No Report	No Report	118
M. V. Complaints Investigated	No Report	No Report	81

The Department to date processed complaints of stolen property valued at $942.00, all of which was recovered through investigation and arrest. In addition more than 85% of vandalism complaints were adjudicated with restitution to the victims.

The Department utilizes statistical data to identify problem areas requiring special attention. One such area pinpointed is indicated by the frequency of juvenile offenses. In a direct response to specific juvenile problems and in an effort to involve the entire community in youth oriented activities the Department has formulated an

Explorer program in association with the Boy Scouts of America. Police Cadets and other diverse programs are in the formulation stages and the Department has commitments of cooperation from several professionals and agencies in the field of youth activities.

The Department budget reflects both the increased request for police services and the tools with which to provide it. Every budget item was carefully examined and justified against actual need in a presentation to the Board of Selectmen and the Treasurer, to include the total cost of the Department including a much needed new police cruiser.

I have been greatly impressed by the dedication to service as well as organizational discipline that the volunteers of the Loudon Fire Department have demonstrated. I have personally experienced a number of incidents in which their rapid and effective response, particularly to Medical Emergencies, has been instrumental in saving life.

I wish to thank the many citizens and officials of Loudon, including the Board of Selectmen for their extensive assistance during the Departments transition and I sincerely hope that I may count on the current level of citizen cooperation to continue.

Below, is a synopsis of the police responsibilities that guided the formulation of Loudon Police Department's policies.

1. To prevent and control conduct widely recognized as threatening to life and property.
2. To aid individuals who are in danger of physical harm, such as the victim of a criminal attack.
3. To protect constitutional guarantees, such as the right of free speech and assembly.
4. To facilitate the movement of people and vehicles.

5. To assist those who cannot care for themselves; the intoxicated, the addicted, the mentally ill, the physically disabled, the old and the young.

6. To resolve conflict, whether it be between individuals, groups of individuals, or individuals and their government.

7. To identify problems that have the potential for becoming more serious problems for the individual citizen, for the police, or for the government.

8. TO CREATE AND MAINTAIN A FEELING OF SECURITY IN THE COMMUNITY.

The Loudon Police Department, through the efforts and development of policy, is proceeding to redefine its role in the community and assess its procedures in terms of community expectations. These policies establish overall guidelines for Loudon Police operations and practices that will be responsive to community priorities.

The policy manual now in effect, provides the Loudon Police Department with a set of standards for which it can be held accountable, while at the same time, indicating to the community just where the department stands on major issues.

Respectfully submitted,

James F. O'Flynn
Chief of Police

LOUDON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
REPORT FOR 1978

This has been another year of increased calls for the Fire Department. The increase has been very rapid, from 25 in 1972 to 141 this year. As the calls for the Fire Department increase so does the strain on the volunteer and equipment.

After several years of effort by the Fire Department and Capitol Area Mutual Aid the towns dispatched by the central dispatch were granted an increased area of preferred insurance rates. In the past, buildings three miles from the Loudon Fire Station received a lower insurance rate than those buildings beyond. The new preferred rate area is five miles from any fire station in the Capitol Area Mutual Aid. This should make insurance rates equal throughout most of the town.

I would like to thank the town and all the people who worked on the fire station addition. This was a greatly needed improvement.

The Fire Department urges caution with the installation and operation of wood stoves. The calls for chimney fires and fires related to improper installation and operation of wood stoves are increasing at a very high rate. Many chimneys that are involved with fire problems are in very poor condition and should be repaired or replaced.

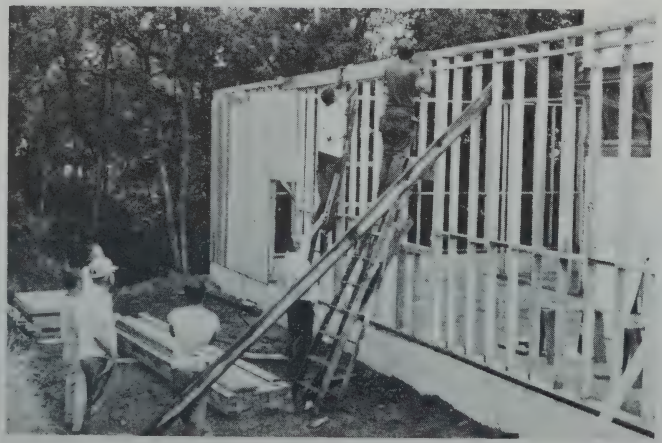
Of the 141 calls responded to last year, 48 were of medical nature. The Fire Departments trained medical squad is seriously undermanned to handle this increased load. Perhaps it is time for the towns people to decide whether the Fire Department should continue this type of coverage and if so, how.

The calls for the year were:

Chimney Fires 13	Service Calls 9
Medical Emergencies 33	Mutual Aid Calls 23
Motor Vehicle Accidents 15	House Fires 10
Brush Fires 19	Furnace Problems 2
False Calls 2	Investigations 9
Mutual Aid Drills 6	

We in the Fire Service enjoy working for you. Your support of the Volunteer Fire Department is much appreciated.

Andrew G. Downes, Chief
Loudon Fire Department



REPORT OF BUILDING COMMITTEE

Last March we came to you asking for help. With your vote of support, we were given $13,300 to maintain and update the Village Fire Station as was needed. We did this by tearing down one bay and constructing a new and bigger one; also putting a new roof on the east side of the station.

In May we started, with all volunteer labor, and tore down the East bay which was too small to allow our department to grow. In picture #1 you can see where we started.

Picture #2 shows the cooperation of Highway Department to clear up the old floor that had been broken by the weight of the heavier trucks of today. They dug out a larger area and leveled up the site for our new addition.

The footing and cement floor were contracted out. In the first part of July, picture #3 shows the volunteers framing up the new bay which is 20 ft. by 56 ft. and 12 ft. high. The building was a lot of work but enjoyed by this group of people with pride of improving their community. This bay will give us room to grow and the height ability to reload our hose beds in the winter time without getting the hose wet outside. After each run in the winter all pumps and piping have to be drained to keep them from freezing the next time out. The new floor has drains in it to make this easier for us now.

The first weekend in August we were real lucky to be able to get help from the 368th Army Reserves, Co. D. out of Concord. They helped us set the truss roof with their crane. This day is pictured on the cover. It was a very big day, enjoyed by both the Fire Department and the Reserves because it took us another big jump forward. Also it gave the Army Reserves a chance to get some realistic training with their Crane, and the oppor-

tunity to help a small community with a worthwhile project through their Community Action Program.

Picture #4 shows the new bay very near completion. By the time this is printed, the building will be completed. We, the department, are quite pleased with the space we now have to work in, and would like to thank all of you who supported us.

On behalf of the Building Committee, I would like to thank the 8 or 10 men that volunteered their time and stuck it out through the entire project to make it a success.

Committee Chairman
Deputy Chief
Jeffrey Jenkins

MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUSTEES REPORT

The Trustees of Maxfield Public Library wish to express their appreciation for the generous gifts to the library provided by Loudon Center Grange and the Charles Hammett family.

Everyone is invited to pay us a visit and view the new shelves designed and installed by Mr. Hiram Cate and Mr. Forrest Buzzell.

Twin Maples Kindergarten class enjoyed a day at the library with a story hour and instructions in library procedure.

The Vision-Hearing Program of New Hampshire Division of Public Health made use of the facilities.

Volunteer services were extended by Irene Batchelder and Bonnie Sargent.

Ten hours of service were given by Boy Scouts James Phelps and Shawn Young, enabling them to earn merit badges.

A sincere "Thank you" to folks for gifts of books and magazines during the year.

Isabelle C. Prescott
Arlene V. Storrs
Dorothy A. Mulkhey

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

For the year ending Dec. 31, 1978

MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Receipts

Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1978		$1,712.51
Income from Trust Funds		1,057.12
Interest on Savings Account		63.98
Income from Gifts		220.00
Total Receipts to Dec. 31, 1978		$3,055.61

Expenditures

Fuel Oil		$ 738.86
Electricity		188.70
Telephone		93.55
Care of Grounds		106.00
Building Maintenance		309.10
Books and Magazines		283.39
Miscellaneous		67.09
Total Expenditures		$1,786.69
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1978		$1,268.92
Savings Account	$ 873.22	
Checking Account	395.70	
	$1,268.92	

Special Fund

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1977	$ 158.25
Interest	8.62
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1978	$ 166.87

Isabelle C. Prescott
Arlene V. Storrs
Dorothy Mulkhey

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

For the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1977		$ 6.07
Fines		38.64
Donations		6.60
Sale of Books		10.30
Total		$61.61

Expenditures

Books	$52.82	
		$52.82
Balance Dec. 31, 1978		$ 8.79

Resources

No. of volumes Jan. 1, 1978	5,107
No. of volumes added by gift and purchase	266
No. of volumes discarded	25
Total	5,348
No. of Periodicals through subscription	13

Circulation

Adult fiction	1,358
Adult non-fiction	520
Juvenile fiction	1,124

Juvenile non-fiction		282
Adult periodicals		202
Juvenile periodicals		63
No. of books borrowed from the Bookmobile:		
Adult fiction and non-fiction	1,118	
Juvenile fiction and non-fiction	1,876	
Total	2,994	2,994
No. of trips made by the Bookmobile		3

The library is open twenty hours a week; Monday, 1-9; Wednesday, 1-9; and Friday 1-5 except on holidays.

Respectfully submitted,

Marguerite E. Buzzell
Librarian

AUDITOR'S REPORT

This is to certify that we have examined the records of the Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Selectmen, Library Trustees, Trustees of the Trusts Funds, Conservation Commission, Bicentennial Committee, and found them to be correct.

Respectfully submitted,

Madelyn Greenwood
Paula A. Miller

TRUST FUNDS

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date of Creation	Name and Purpose of Trust Fund	How Invested	Principal Bal. End or Year	Income Bal. Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance End of Year
1908	William Maxfield, Land		$ 700.00				
1961	William Maxfield, Maxfield Library	Puritan Fund Inc.	16,478.79*	$ 122.84	$1,384.73	$1,507.57	$ ....
1908	William Maxfield, Maxfield Library	N. H. Savings Bank	4,015.70	....	240.47	240.47	....
1908	William Maxfield, Maxfield Library	Concord Savings Bank	2,151.46	....	118.95	118.95	....
1908	William Maxfield, Maxfield Library	Merr. Cty. Savings Bank	511.79	....	30.62	30.62	....
1948	George W. Rowell, Cemetery Fund	Merr. Cty. Savings Bank	100.00	24.46	7.41	6.00	25.87
1948	John B. Perkins, Cemetery Fund	Merr. Cty. Savings Bank	100.00	29.22	7.70	6.00	30.92
1927	Amos F. Currier, Cemetery Fund	Merr. Cty. Savings Bank	100.00	16.01	6.91	6.00	16.92
1909	Sargent Fund, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	71.67	10.34	15.00	67.01
1952	John & Silas Pearl, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	169.06	22.21	20.00	171.27
1933	Drake & Foster, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	11.51	6.67	6.00	12.18
1928	John Jones, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	121.66	19.36	25.00	116.02
1930	Frank Batchelder, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	41.66	8.49	8.00	42.15
1909	Mary Ann Willard, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	25.00	1.43	1.56	....	2.99
1927	Hattie Morse, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	44.85	8.70	10.00	43.55
1950	Edward S. Ordway, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	36.45	8.14	4.00	40.59
1957	John Winslow, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	154.10	21.02	20.00	155.12
1962	Charles & Sarah Cate, Ceme. Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	9.10	6.54	5.00	10.64
1930	Jonathan R. Diamond, Ceme. Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	119.81	13.08	4.00	128.89
1933	Samuel Lowell French, Ceme. Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	20.14	7.21	7.00	20.35
1930	Ozni Hamblett, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	77.11	10.63	10.00	77.74
1954	Turner Fund, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	20.82	7.21	4.00	24.03
1956	Idah N. Dahlgren, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	200.00	164.19	21.70	7.00	178.89
1954	George Griffin, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	19.94	7.15	4.00	23.09
1963	War Memorial, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	247.90	20.65	....	268.55
1953	Rollins & Rogers, Cemetery Fund	N. H. Savings Bank	100.00	86.53	11.17	10.00	87.70
1933	Frank M. Ladd, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	56.26	8.39	10.00	54.65
1958	Robert L. Mudgett, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	10,000.00	2,262.55	671.55	333.35	2,600.75

1948	Veterans Affairs Com., Ceme. Fund	Concord Savings Bank	135.04	107.46	13.21	....	120.67
1925	Jeremiah F. Sargent, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	208.22	16.84	4.00	221.06
1941	Hattie Lake, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	38.93	7.58	4.00	42.51
1917	Sanborn & Huckins, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	265.16	20.09	4.00	281.25
1952	Perley W. Rowell, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	34.76	7.33	4.00	38.09
1939	Harrington & Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	300.00	435.63	40.22	4.00	471.85
1959	Edward Davis, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	9.02	5.94	6.00	8.96
1953	Alice Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	185.83	21.09	7.00	199.92
1933	Elbridge Wales, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	39.34	7.64	10.00	36.98
1926	Myra Holt, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	57.51	8.62	10.00	56.13
1944	Levi & Lucratus Sanborn, Ceme. Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	10.80	6.05	6.00	10.85
1939	Joseph E. Ross & Mabel F. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	17.92	6.45	6.00	18.37
1936	F. Gertrude Dickerman, Ceme. Fund	Concord Savings Bank	50.00	.10	2.49	....	2.59
1939	Ivyana Foster, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	300.00	367.83	36.67	35.00	369.50
1933	Irene A. Hamblett, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	37.74	7.53	7.00	38.27
1939	Cora Brown, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	54.76	8.47	8.00	55.23
1942	Chamberlian & Wiggin, Ceme. Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	141.03	18.76	25.00	134.79
1890	Eliza C. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	162.33	14.38	15.00	161.71
1918	Laura A. Clifford, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	327.06	23.29	25.00	325.35
1908	Jeremiah Clough, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	150.00	264.77	22.80	30.00	257.57
1964	David & Mary McKerley, Ceme. Fund	Concord Savings Bank	200.00	37.82	13.04	16.00	34.86
1965	Ernest Baldwin, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	5.37	5.74	5.00	6.11
1965	Roscoe C. Lovering, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	5.37	5.74	5.00	6.11
1965	Perley Ordway, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	5.37	5.74	5.00	6.11
1972	George W. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Concord Savings Bank	100.00	6.60	5.81	5.00	7.41
1907	Fernald Fund, Town Fund	Concord Savings Bank	161.21	105.08	14.77	....	119.85
1964	Sanborn Trust Fund, School Equip. for Students	Concord Savings Bank	1,000.00	452.12	76.92	109.63	419.41
1976	Nola H. Robinson, Cemetery Fund	Merr. Cty. Savings Bank	100.00	4.67	6.19	....	10.86
		SUB-TOTAL	$40,878.99	$7,317.87	$3,117.96	$2,773.59	$7,662.24
1959	Capital Reserve, Highway Dept.	Concord Savings Bank	6,904.07	607.80	902.16	1,509.96	....
1963	Capital Reserve, Fire Dept.	Concord Savings Bank	6,618.55	33.78	183.28	....	217.06
1973	Conservation Commission, Same	Concord Savings Bank	687.65	37.27	39.60	....	76.87
1973	Library Improvement Fund, Same	Concord Savings Bank	238.63	13.02	13.72	....	26.74
		SUB-TOTAL	$14,448.90	$ 691.87	$1,138.76	$1,509.96	$ 320.67
		TOTALS	$55,327.89	$8,009.74	$4,256.72	$4,283.55	$7,982.91

* –1,659.495 shares @ $9.93/share as of 12-31-77
New Funds Created Totaled $8,000.00

LOUDON PLANNING BOARD

This year we experienced a sharp increase in building permits; over 90 this year as compared to 30 last year. There were numerous requests for 1, 2 and 3 lot subdivisions and several of a larger nature.

As mentioned in last years Town report, the board felt a need to begin planning for Loudon's future. Subsequent to Town meeting, a public meeting was called asking all citizens interested in Loudon's future to attend. At this well attended meeting it was decided to have a citizens group develop a Loudon planning guide to assist the planning board.

Over the period of a year, sub-committees met and worked on various aspects of the planning guide. Much has been accomplished and the board is very appreciative of the many hours the volunteers spent working on the guide. Interest in completing the planning guide has somewhat waned but we are hopeful the citizens committee will regain their momentum.

C. Marshall Beale
Chairman
Loudon Planning Board

CENTRAL NEW HAMPSHIRE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

Loudon has been a dues paying member of the regional commission for five years. During this time the commission has primarily been of assistance to Loudon in the creation of the town tax map and the development of the Loudon Planning Guide.

We do not anticipate needing the services of the commission in the immediate future and in the light of increased dues, we recommend that Loudon cease paying dues to the commission.

C. Marshall Beale
Roger Maxfield
Representatives from
Loudon to C.N.H.R.P.C.

LOUDON BICENTENNIAL FUND

REPORT OF TREASURER

January 1, 1978 — December 31, 1978

Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1977		$715.12
Receipts:		
Sale of books and coins	$149.00	
Bank interest	44.18	
		193.18
		$908.30
Disbursements:		
None		
Balance in Concord Savings Bank December 31, 1978		$908.30

Respectfully submitted,

Fred J. Hackett
Treasurer

January 30, 1979

LOUDON COMMUNITY BUILDING COMMITTEE

The Loudon Community Building Committee is an out-growth of the Loudon Recreation Committee, which was formed in Jan. 1978. The membership was asked to investigate possible funding and sites for a recreation building.

Members were David Greenwood, David Dean, Lee Mercer, Stanley Prescott, Joseph Potrepka, Gerald Smith, and Mildred Edwards. Several committee members toured the Bow community building to increase our knowledge as to requirements, needs and responsibilities of a community/recreation building.

Trips were made to Bow to talk to Mr. Charles Clifford of the Central N. H. Regional Planning Commission. After discussion of our needs and the requirements for funding, we took Mr. Clifford's advice to inquire further at the Community Development Office of H.U.D. in Manchester.

At this time a revised committee consisting of Melvin Gullage, Warren Jenkins, Charles Christy, Letty Barton, Clayton Pease and Mildred Edwards was formed.

A trip to H.U.D. office disclosed the near impossibility of Loudon to qualify for funds for a community building. Inquiries were made as to the possibility of obtaining funds available through the police and fire departments. Here we also received discouraging responses. We are disappointed to report that all possible avenues we checked proved to be of a negative nature.

Following several meetings and after lengthy discussion, the committee has determined funds are unavailable from outside of Loudon. We therefore recommend

a sum be set aside in the Capitol Reserve Fund for the realization of a future community building. We also recommend that money be made available to begin a summer activity program, and requests the continuation of the committee for another year.

I would like to express my sincere thanks to all the committee members for their enthusiastic assistance and co-operation throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Mildred W. Edwards
Chairman

Births Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (If Any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father
1978							
Jan. 8	Concord	Dawn Elizabeth Brown	Max S. Brown	Margaret E. VanOsdol	Loudon	Indiana	Indiana
13	Concord	Wendy Michelle Lee	David J. Lee	Patricia A. Avery	Loudon	Vermont	Vermont
13	Concord	Eugene Henry Dolloff	Frederick W. Dolloff	Frances C. Bartlett	Loudon	Mass.	N.H.
22	Concord	Maria Dee Santas	Gerald S. Santas	Carolyn J. Hilliard	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
23	Concord	Roger Daniel Decato	Roger E. Decato	Jane E. Gross	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
23	Concord	Jeffrey John Storrs	John A. Storrs	Dale E. Dow	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
28	Concord	Michael Joseph Carpenter, Jr.	Michael J. Carpenter, Sr.	Marie A. Roberts	Loudon	Maine	Virginia
Feb. 9	Concord	Amanda Lynn Jaworski	Frank J. Jaworski	Carol E. Carr	Loudon	Maine	N.H.
Mar. 17	Concord	Melissa Beth Sewade	Herbert A. Sewade, Jr.	Alice L. Shove	Loudon	N.Y.	Mass.
Apr. 7	Concord	Cathy Sue Jarvis	Byron W. Jarvis	Constance H. King	Loudon	N.Y.	N.Y.
July 7	Concord	Ryan Edward Raymond	Robert E. Raymond	Sharron J. Schoolcraft	Loudon	Vermont	N.H.
13	Concord	Paul Edward LaBraney, II	Paul E. LaBraney	Louella B. Whiting	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
16	Concord	Steven Jason Roy	Steven W. Roy	Carol J. Rattee	Loudon	Vermont	N.H.
23	Concord	Laurie Ann Tierney	Steven J. Tierney	Tracey J. McClintock	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
Aug. 16	Concord	Tyler Adam Paul	Edward R. Paul, Jr.	Marie E. Mulkhey	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
27	Concord	Michael Andrew Woodward	Andrew G. Woodward, Jr.	Janet E. Mann	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
27	Concord	David Jae Rice	David J. Rice	Cheryl L. Pickering	Loudon	Texas	N.H.
Sep. 17	Concord	Bryan Keith VanNorden	Dean A. VanNorden	Linda S. Anderson	Loudon	Mass.	Mass.
29	Loudon	Amanda Jean Kane	Robert W. Kane	Mary J. Kerr	Loudon	Mass.	Vermont
Oct. 5	Concord	Roland Joseph Paquette, III	Roland J. Paquette, Jr.	Elizabeth E. Bloch	Loudon	Virginia	N.H.
9	Concord	Miranda Lynn Todd	Ernest J. Todd	Nancy J. Bolduc	Loudon	N.H.	Mass.
20	Laconia	Angela Caryn Pearl	Bruce A. Pearl	Diane J. Moore	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
30	Concord	Michael Alan Mobbs	Michael R. Mobbs	Diane M. Gray	Loudon	Maine	Florida
Nov. 13	Laconia	William Lewis Fish, III	William L. Fish, Jr.	Patricia E. Pearl	Loudon	N.H.	Mass.
17	Concord	Nicholas Lee Folsom	Richard B. Folsom	Phyllis F. Emery	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
20	Concord	Melissa Jaye Pelletier	David M. Pelletier	Jaye S. Waldron	Loudon	Conn.	Conn.
Dec. 3	Concord	Christopher Clark Sittig	Donald C. Sittig	Connie J. Eseltine	Loudon	N.Y.	Mass.
22	Concord	Thomas Barker Welch	Thomas A. Welch	Melissa L. DeWolfe	Loudon	N.H.	N.H.
27	Concord	Jeremy David Trethewey	Ernest A. Tretheway	Donna S. Strang	Loudon	N.H.	Fla.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MARY E. MAXFIELD, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
1978							
Jan. 28	Gilmanton Iron Works	Steven J. Tierney	Penacook	N.H.	John E. Tierney	N.H.	Rev. Robert C. Phillips, Sr.
					Anna M. Baker	N.H.	Reverend
		Tracey J. McClintock	Loudon	N.H.	Bruce McClintock	N.H.	
					Carol Drescher	N.H.	
Feb. 4	Chichester	Dallas J. Langevin	Bow	Virginia	Henry R. Langevin	N.H.	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
					Marion E. Culver	N.H.	Clergyman
		Audrey A. Beaulieu	Loudon	Conn.	Edmund A. Beaulieu	Conn.	
					Helen V. Morrell	Conn.	
10	Loudon	Richard H. Halfenstein	Concord	N.H.	George Halfenstein	Mass.	Rev. James A. Jensen
					Frances Morrill	N.H.	Minister
		Priscilla A. Fletcher	Loudon	N.H.	Lloyd Lawrence	N.H.	
					Marjorie Huckins	N.H.	
Apr. 7	Concord	Roger L. Babcock	Concord	Mass.	Leslie L. Babcock	Mass.	Sherwood A. Treadwell
					Charlotte Pardee	Mass.	Minister
		Virginia G. Martin	Loudon	N.Y.	Horace W. Watts	Virginia	
					Clara G. Birch	N.Y.	
28	Manchester	Alan Drew	Loudon	N.H.	George Drew	N.H.	Benjamin C. Baroody
					Dorothy Berwick	N.H.	Justice of the Peace
		Linda A. Fleury	Loudon	Mass.	Marlyn Fearing	Minn.	
					Elizabeth Sargent	N.H.	
May 3	Pittsfield	Edward D. Eliasen	Loudon	R.I.	Unknown	.....	Kenard F. Ayles
					Gertrude C. Eliasen	Mass.	Justice of the Peace
		Lorree A. Cashman	Loudon	Mass.	John Cashman	Mass.	
					Sarah Gordon	Mass.	
13	Loudon	William L. Fish, Jr.	Loudon	Mass.	William L. Fish, Sr.	N.H.	Rev. James A. Jensen
					Rachel Fillian	N.H.	Minister
		Patricia E. Pearl	Loudon	N.H.	Cecil V. Pearl	N.H.	
					Eleanor L. Brown	Mass.	

20	Loudon	Bliss S. Magoon, Jr.	Northwood	N.H.	Bliss S. Magoon, Sr.	N.H.	Edwin H. Maxfield
					Claire P. Plante	N.H.	Justice of the Peace
		Jennifer L. Dowes	Loudon	N.H.	John E. Dowes, Sr.	N.H.	
					Lois H. Folsom	N.H.	
20	Concord	David H. Booth	Boscawen	N.H.	Walter H. Booth	Vermont	John I. Johnson
					Margaret A. Crosby	N.H.	Clergyman
		Debra R. Stone	Loudon	N.H.	Lloyd H. Stone, II	N.H.	
					Edith C. Straw	N.H.	
21	Durham	William M. Gardner	Manchester	N.H.	William G. Gardner	N.H.	Philip J. Kenney
					Mildred I. Claus	N.H.	R. C. Priest
		Kathleen Gordon	Loudon	Maine	Clarence E. Gordon	N.H.	
					Mary Jane Howard	Maine	
June 10	Loudon	Michael B. Rourke	Loudon	N.J.	William M. Rourke	N.J.	Rev. Barry Alan Blackstone
					Jewel A. Meyer	N.J.	Clergyman
		Diane Matulaitis	Loudon	N.H.	Kenneth G. Berwick	N.H.	
					Doris H. DeCato	N.H.	
16	Penacook	Wesley F. Rand, Jr.	Loudon	N.H.	Wesley F. Rand, Sr.	N.H.	Rev. Oliver C. Northcott
					Pearl O. Swain	N.H.	Minister of the Gospel
		Flo D. Bottomley	Loudon	N.H.	Robert E. Lorden, Sr.	N.H.	
					Edna G. Morrill	N.H.	
17	Loudon	Stephen A. Fife	Pittsfield	N.H.	Clifford A. Fife	N.H.	Rev. Christopher Drew
					A. Ernestine Moses	N.H.	Minister
		Linda J. Ladd	Loudon	N.H.	Levi K. Ladd	Maine	
					Lucille Archibald	N.H.	
24	Loudon	George L. Fiske, Jr.	Loudon	N.H.	George L. Fiske, Sr.	Vermont	Stanley H. Prescott
					Betty C. Ashley	N.H.	Justice of the Peace
		Regina F. Mulkhey	Loudon	N.H.	Joseph W. Mulkhey, Jr.	N.H.	
					Virginia S. Creighton	N.H.	
25	Loudon	Jeffrey S. Smith	Loudon	N.H.	Richard W. Smith	Mass.	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
					Joanne R. Matuska	Penn.	Clergyman
		Robin G. Lewis	Loudon	N.H.	James A. Lewis	Unknown	
					Joan L. Patch	Vermont	
July 8	Concord	Kevin S. Gullage	Loudon	N.H.	Melvin G. Gullage	Mass.	Charles W. Ludeking
					Joan Marston	N.H.	Pastor
		Barbara E. Green	Loudon	N.H.	Kenneth J. Green	N.H.	
					Lena Alice Cilley	N.H.	
15	Loudon	Henry E. Tripp	Webster	Maine	George E. Tripp	Maine	Rev. Oliver C. Northcott
					Beryl Douglas	Maine	Minister of the Gospel
		Gertrude O. O'Mara	Loudon	N.H.	Alfred Dandurand	Canada	
					Angelina Daneault	N.H.	
Aug. 15	Northwood	Joseph A. Garrow	Loudon	N.H.	Wayne A. Garrow	VT.	Edward H. Frekey
					Ruby A. Enman	Maine	Justice of the Peace
		Lorraine A. Champagne	Northwood	N.H.	Reginald A. Champagne	N.H.	
					Penelope LaRose	N.H.	

Marriages Registered in the Town of Loudon — Continued

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
20	Bedford	Malcolm R. Warner	Loudon	Conn.	Rolland A. Warner	Conn.	Rev. P. Daniel Bakker
					Dorothy G. MacArthur	Conn.	Minister
		Claire E. Bridgham	Stoneham, Ma.	Maine	Erland A. Bridgham	Maine	
					Marjorie A. Adams	Maine	
Sept. 2	Concord	Kim A. Bean	Loudon	N.H.	Gerald Bean	N.H.	Rev. George Murray
					Judith Storrs	N.H.	Pastor
		Sarah J. Sweeney	Concord	N.H.	John C. Sweeney	N.H.	
					Donna Cozzi	N.H.	
8	Loudon	Rodney W. Currier	Loudon	N.H.	William Currier	N.H.	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
					Rose M. Towns	N.H.	Clergyman
		Elsie E. Currier	Loudon	N.H.	Cecil E. Baum	England	
					Alice O. Berry	N.H.	
10	Pittsfield	John R. Osborne, Jr.	Loudon	N.H.	J. Russell Osborne, Sr.	N.H.	Howard J. Landes
					Jane A. Gray	N.H.	Minister
		Sandra A. Metcalf	Pittsfield	Mass.	Paul E. Metcalf	Mass.	
					Lucia A. Peirce	Mass.	
15	Bedford	Peter D. Holden	Concord	N.H.	Arthur Holden	Mass.	Frederick E. Upshall, Jr.
					Patricia Oleson	N.H.	Justice of the Peace
		Donna L. Dionne	Loudon	N.H.	Carol Dionne	N.H.	
					Madeline Carron	N.H.	
Oct. 7	Loudon	Lawrence E. LeBrun	Gilford	N.H.	J. Mitchell LeBrun	N.H.	Rev. Robert Friedrich, Jr.
					Rena A. Gilbert	N.H.	Minister
		Liz Ann Lesmerises	Loudon	N.H.	Paul B. Lesmerises	N.H.	
					Shirley E. Marston	N.H.	
14	Gilmanton	Thomas G. Evans	Montpelier, Vt.	N.Y.	Myron E. Evans	N.Y.	Rev. Gerald Flewelling
					Mary H. Burkert	N.Y.	Gospel Minister
		Beth A. Flewelling	Loudon	Maine	Gerald F. Flewelling	Maine	
					Marguerite Allen	Canada	

	21	Loudon	Robert J. Lonergan	Loudon	Mass.	Joseph A. Lonergan	Mass.	Richard P. Macleod
						Mary L. Thayer	Mass.	Justice of the Peace
			Susan E. Small	Loudon	N.H.	David K. Small	N.H.	
						Avis L. Tucker	N.H.	
Nov.	3	Chichester	Robert E. Ekstrom, Jr.	Loudon	Mass.	Robert E. Ekstrom, Sr.	Mass.	Rev. H. Franklin Parker
						Caroline J. Carlson	Mass.	Clergyman
			Melanie J. Tasker	Loudon	N.H.	Milton Tasker	N.H.	
						Nancy Cotton	Mass.	
	4	Loudon	Richard E. Moody	Loudon	N.H.	Edward A. Moody	N.H.	Charles H. Dean
						Lotte Wach	Germany	Justice of the Peace
			Sheila J. Croteau	Loudon	N.H.	Richard L. Croteau, Sr.	N.H.	
						Lorraine Arseneault	N.H.	
	18	Loudon	Kenneth A. Clay, Jr.	Concord	N.H.	Kenneth A. Clay, Sr.	N.H.	Rev. Gerald Flewelling
						Nellie Phelps	N.H.	Gospel Minister
			Tammy M. Harriman	Loudon	N.H.	Arthur Harriman	N.H.	
						Virginia Storrs	N.H.	
	25	Webster	Robert R. Jessop	Loudon	Mass.	Joseph Jessop	Mass.	Rev. Arlington E. Wry
						Elizabeth Card	Mass.	Ordained Clergyman
			Kathi B. Coulter	Loudon	N.H.	Donald E. Locke	N.H.	
						Pauline E. Kenney	N.H.	
	25	Loudon	Arthur D. Monty	Loudon	N.H.	Arthur H. Monty	N.H.	Calvin T. Wright
						Eva O. Poisson	N.H.	Minister
			Maryevelyn Onsager	Loudon	MD.	James M. Biggers	N.C.	
						Doris M. Childs	N.H.	
Dec.	2	Concord	Bruce A. McClintock	Loudon	N.H.	Lloyd J. McClintock	N.H.	Brenda F. Flanders
						Bernice Ordway	Mass.	Justice of the Peace
			Betty A. Aiken	Loudon	N.H.	Frank K. LaBraney	N.H.	
						Ellen M. Hill	N.H.	

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Deaths Registered in the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1978

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Date of Birth	State of Birth	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Place of Burial
1978							
Feb. 15	Boscawen	Wallace L. Sleeper	June 20, 1909	N.H.	Edwin H. Sleeper	Annie Weeks	Loudon Ridge Cemetery, Loudon
Apr. 10	Concord	Emmet F. Smith	Apr. 23, 1886	Ill.	David F. Smith	Ida J. Prowse	Loudon Center Cemetery, Loudon
22	Concord	Robert E. Hunter	Sept. 14, 1915	N.H.	Thomas Hunter	Florence Greenaway	Holy Rosary, Rochester, N. H.
28	Concord	Gerald B. Smith	May 23, 1910	Vt.	Rolfe P. Smith	Myra S. Bryne	Loudon Ridge Cemetery, Loudon
May 19	Concord	Thomas F. Cotnoir	June 16, 1895	N.H.	Levi Cotnoir	Olive	Mt. Hope Cemetery, Loudon
July 12	Loudon	Chester A. Hall	Mar. 24, 1909	N.H.	Anderson Hall	Florence Stevens	Greenwood Cemetery, Kingston-Rockingham, N. H.
Aug. 14	Loudon	Lawrence L. Eastman	Aug. 1, 1912	N.H.	Beza Eastman	Jeannette Sleeper	Mt. Hope Cemetery, Loudon
14	Concord	James R. Edwards, Sr.	July 3, 1908	N.Y.	James M. Edwards	Sadie J. Harrison	Town Hill Cemetery, New Hartford, Conn.
Oct. 2	Pembroke	Sarah A. Gage	Feb. 20, 1899	N.H.	Frank P. Wheeler	Lillian C. Hilliard	Loudon Ridge Cemetery, Loudon
Nov. 14	Concord	Donald J. Downs	July 11, 1911	N.H.	Lyman Downs	Mary McMullen	Calvary Cemetery, Penacook, N. H.
Dec. 15	Concord	Albert M. Hardy	July 22, 1910	N.H.	Albert S. Hardy	Evelyn McLeod	Mt. Hope Cemetery, Loudon

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